

Eastern Mountains Foster Care FACTS

Based on all children in OOHC on September 7, 2008, Source TWS-W58

Statewide Total

Demographic Indicator	Number	Percent within Region	Number	Percent within State
Total Number of children in OOHC with active placements (note E, F)	488		7139	
Placed in PCC Foster Homes	169	34.6	2224	31.2
Placed in PCC Residential	73	15.0	1183	16.6
Placed in Relative Placement	13	2.7	504	7.1
Total Number placed in DCBS Foster Homes all types (note A)	210	43.0	2843	39.8
Placed in DCBS Basic and Advanced Foster Homes	175	35.9	2423	33.9
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Fragile Homes	9	1.8	212	3.0
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Home	26	5.3	208	2.9
Placed in Detention center	1	0.2	34	0.5
Placed in independent living or education setting	10	2.0	120	1.7
Placed in psychiatric hospitals	12	2.5	231	3.2
Placed out of state (note B)	2	0.4	164	2.3
Age at First Entry into Foster Care				
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	97	19.9	1191	16.7
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	63	12.9	785	11.0
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	76	15.6	1033	14.5
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	128	26.2	1813	25.4
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	124	25.4	2317	32.5
Demographics				
African American Children	15	3.1	1428	20.1
Children with a Goal of Adoption	176	40.2	1892	30.2
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	212	48.4	3298	52.7
Children with a Goal of Emancipation	30	6.8	528	8.4
Average Age of Entry into foster care	7.0		8.0	
Average Age Now	10.1		10.7	
Average # Months in Care at this point in time	27.5		25.0	
Average Percent of Life in Care	32.4		28.1	
Average Number of Days to reenter for those with any reentry	456.7		622.5	
Average Number of Placements this removal episode	3.3		3.3	
Cost Data				
Number of Children with Per Diem payments listed	423		5,957	
Average Cost Per Day for child with Per Diem payments	\$74.13		\$78.90	
Average cost per child for average months in care (note D)	\$62,100.92		\$60,095.01	

A. Includes DCBS adoptive homes, basic and advanced, medically fragile homes.

B. Includes relative placements, adoptive homes, treatment facilities, and homes just over the border.

C. Other goals include placement with relatives, planned permanent living or the goals have not been determined.

D. Total costs per child will be higher because children in this number have not exited care.

E. Includes 39 Statewide duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.

F. Includes 2 Regional duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.